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"Method to improve stability and reliability of CVD low k dielectric"

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RESPONSE TO FINAL PATENT OFFICE ACTION

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated January 29 2003, in the above identified application for patent, please enter the following amendments and consider the following remarks.

CERTIFICATE OF MAILING

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